

Senator Taft Demands Full Discussion on Pact

Millions to Hear Story of Christ's Resurrection Serves Notice on Democrats; McGrath Ired

Services at Dawn to Draw Large Crowds

Millions of Americans at dawn tomorrow will hear the story of a risen Christ re-told at outdoor services on mountain tops and in valleys, on the seashore and in woodlands.

In some places throngs running into the tens of thousands will gather, while in others only a handful of worshippers will be present.

Fair, but slightly cool weather was forecast for most sections of the nation.

Perhaps the largest outpouring will be at the 24-year-old ceremony in the Wichita mountains, near Lawton, Okla. Here the 1939 record of 200,000 worshippers is expected to be exceeded.

Other large crowds may include: 75,000 at Washington, D. C.'s Fort Lincoln; 65,000 at Chicago's Soldier field; 60,000 at Pasadena's Rose Bowl; 50,000 at Miami's Orange bowl, and 35,000 at the Hollywood bowl. The movie capital's nondenominational service will be on a national radio program.

Shrine Of Ages
For the 15th time, the songs of Christianity will ring from the Shrine of Ages on the south rim of the Arizona Grand Canyon. These services will be broadcast nationally and in Canada, and beamed by short wave to Europe, Latin America and the armed forces overseas.

Two Colorado mountain settings will be used to solemnize the story of the Crucifixion and the Resurrection: The park of the Red Rocks, near Denver, and the Garden Of The Gods, near Colorado Springs.

Near Tucson, Ariz. Yaqui Indians will mark Easter by mixed pagan and Christian ceremony with colorful dances and processions.

Falcon Lair, Hollywood home of the late screen star Rudolph Valentino, will be the scene of an early service to "affirm the rights and dignity of mankind."

Among the east coast ceremonies will be a gathering of 6,000 at the Woodland sanctuary, Florida's highest point near Lake Wales, where the 22nd annual service will be given at the Bok Singing Tower.

At a shrine to America's World War II dead in Rindge, N. H., prayers will be given from an outdoor altar made up of stones from flying fields all over the world.

Thousands, too, will visit the traditional Moravian services at Winston-Salem, N. C., outdoor dawn services are planned throughout New Jersey, one at the Atlantic City's steel pier.

Arlington Ceremonies
In the nation's capital about 15,000 persons are expected at ceremonies in Arlington National Cemetery amphitheater. Afterwards a cross of Easter lilies will be laid at the tomb of the unknown soldier.

In New York City, churches were ready to receive overflow congregations. Prospects were that the traditional Fifth Avenue Easter Parade would be bigger and brighter than ever before.

Parents Held in Death of Child Dead from Neglect

Chicago, April 16—(AP)—The parents of a baby girl who was found covered with dirt, sores and welts and dead of malnutrition, today faced a charge of manslaughter.

A health department nurse, Miss Alice Biederman, investigating reports of neglect, found the four-months-old child, Kathleen King, lying dead in her crib yesterday.

The parents, Martin King, 42, an unemployed shoemaker, and Ellen, 37, were to appear in boys' court today on the charges.

Dr. Harry G. Leon, coroner's physician, testified at an inquest yesterday that the child died of malnutrition. He said the child weighed only five and one-half pounds—almost exactly what she weighed at birth.

Dr. Leon said Kathleen's body was "encrusted with dirt and sores up to her chest" and covered with sores and welts.

Mrs. King testified that she had given birth to four children and three had died in infancy.

Life Eternal

An Enduring Thought for Easter Sunday

AN EASTER CONTRIBUTION

"If a man die, shall he live again?" was the age-old question asked by Job (Job 14:14). Successive generations of men have asked it, and it has been answered in various ways, and with varying convictions.

Prophets and poets have answered it. The beautiful Twenty-third Psalm answered it by implication, for there could be little fearlessness and comfort in the valley of death unless there were hope of the life beyond. And a modern poet, Wordsworth, wrote of it in his famous "Ode on the Intimations of Immortality."

Spiritualists think they have found the answer in the demonstrable proof of communications from the spiritual world, the evidence that some who have lived and died are still living and speaking.

It is my personal belief that immortality is a matter of faith and hope, rather than of scientific proof, but it is impressive that scientists like Sir Oliver Lodge and Sir William Crookes believed strongly in the validity of spiritualistic phenomena, and that the high priest of spiritualism, Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, came to such a similarly strong faith after years of agnosticism, without faith either in God or in human survival.

The strongest ground of hope and faith in immortality is found in the New Testament, with its message of, and concerning Christ. The message concerning Christ is as much the ground of that faith as the message of Christ Himself, for the one is intensively associated with the other. The Resurrection was the evidence of the deathless life of Jesus Himself, and it became to the disciples the clearest evidence of the immortality that He promised, "Because I live, ye shall live also."

An eminent British churchman, the late Professor Agar Beet, wrote a large book in defense of the Christian religion, centering and reaching its climax in the contention that "the Resurrection is the best attested fact in history." Materialistic historians, or scientists, might question that claim, but from a spiritual standpoint the evidence is incontrovertible.

A group of disciples in the depth of gloom and despair because of the death of a Master upon whom they had set their faith, their hope, and their ambition, were suddenly aroused to new life, and hope, and vision, by the conviction that their Lord was living, and that they had seen Him and received His message.

In that vision, faith and conviction they not only went forth to the spiritual conquest of the world, but they went forth with their characters and outlook transformed. There was no more bickering about who should be greatest. They had found the eternal life of which Jesus spoke. For eternal life is a present possession. We should think of immortality, not in terms of mere continuance, but in terms of the quality of the life.

I shall never forget the dominant challenge on an Easter sermon by Professor Goslin that I heard some years ago. The preacher asked pointedly, and I pass the question on to you, "What is in your life that is worth preserving, or that deserves immortality?"

Blood Tests Now Able To Reveal Cancerous Growths

By ALTON L. BLAKESLEE
Associated Press Science Reporter

Detroit, April 16—(AP)—A blood test that can reveal cancer early, anywhere in the body, was announced today by Dr. Charles B. Huggins, University of Chicago surgeon.

The test is simple, cheap, and "reasonably sure," Dr. Huggins, president of the American Association for cancer research, declared.

It is a step toward solving one of the biggest problems in cancer—detecting the hidden disease early. Early treatment saves lives.

The test still is "somewhat rough," and not perfect, he said. It doesn't tell where the cancer is. Also, a positive result can mean cancer, or sickness from pneumonia, tuberculosis or meningitis. But other tests can show whether the patient has these ailments.

The test could best be made in

cancer detection clinics or other laboratories. It would take time before the methods can be installed in detection clinics.

Findings Important

The test was developed in work that found new clues to understanding cancer. Dr. Huggins said these findings may be even more important than the new test.

The work was done by Dr. Huggins, Dr. Elwood Jensen and Gerald Miller, a medical student, at Chicago. It was aided by a grant from The American Cancer Society.

The test is made by heating a sample of diluted blood, after a chemical, iodacetate, is added. Normal blood will clot after a certain amount of heating. Blood from a cancerous patient takes much longer to clot.

The clotting is due to a protein, albumin, in the blood. Egg white contains albumin. The albumin is what causes the clotting under heating. In cancer, the albumin in the blood is altered, Dr. Huggins explained.

Many Researchers

Dr. Huggins said the test was based upon the work by many researchers who for years have sought a blood test for cancer.

The test was positive for 85 persons known to have cancer including one with a small early cancer of the ear. Dr. Huggins said. These 85 were among 300 persons tested.

Nelson Girl, 6, Learns Grandmothers' Art



Nelson—(Special)—Tiny Theresa Filippi, six-year-old daughter of Charles Filippi, Nelson, has acquired a talent usually reserved for those of a much older age. Theresa, who makes her home with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Filippi, can crochet with the best of the grandmothers as is shown in the above Evening Telegraph photo. She began early to learn handiwork. At the age of four she could knit stockings, at five she was an embroidery expert, and now in her first year of elementary school, she is particularly adept at crocheting.

Rock Slide Aftermath of 'Quake

Tacoma, Wash., April 16—(AP)—A huge section of a 300-foot cliff, apparently loosened by Wednesday's earthquake, plunged into Puget Sound a few miles north of here early today. A resulting eight-foot wave hit the little community of Salmon Beach.

The wave ripped out a private dock and ramp, smashed a number of small boats and threw the community into panic. The water smashed against beach-side homes. No injuries were reported.

The slide appeared to be about a half mile long. It was just north of the Salmon Beach community and about a mile and a half south of the tip of Point Defiance.

Mrs. John Bourgaize, boat house owner who was awakened by the roar, said the falling cliff shoved into the sound about 600 feet. The slide drove water about 25

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Death Takes Wallace Beery, Multi-Millionaire Film Star

Beverly Hills, Calif., April 16—(AP)—Death has taken Wallace Beery, who combined a homely, good-humored face and a booming voice into a multi-million dollar screen career.

Beery, a veteran of 36 years in films, died unexpectedly last night at his home. He had been under treatment since last November for a heart condition.

At his bedside were his divorced wife, Mrs. Rita Beery; a brother, Will Beery; his adopted daughter, Carol Ann, and a nephew, Noah Beery, Jr.

Beery was known to millions of movie-goers for his role as a hard-boiled, clumsy but kindly character, sometimes addicted to larceny and liquor. He was famous for his grunting dialogue, sloppy dress and the way he'd run his hand over his face and mutter, "aw, shucks!"

Made "Min and Bill"
In 1930 one of the greatest screen teams was launched when he and the late Marie Dressler made "Min and Bill." Since then he has appeared in more than 50 pictures, including "The Champ," which won him a special academy award.

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Shirley Is 'Glad' Statue of St. Ann Doesn't Cry Now

Syracuse, N. Y., April 16—(AP)—Shirley Anne Martin is "glad" that her broken St. Ann statue doesn't—as she puts it—"cry anymore." "I don't want it to cry. You wouldn't want a human being to cry, would you?" The 11-year-old Roman Catholic girl commented last night after kissing the small statue head several times without result.

The liquid drops that had appeared repeatedly on the figurine's face when Shirley Anne kissed the forehead were termed a "phenomenon" yesterday by the Rev. Robert E. Dillon, chancellor of the Syracuse Catholic diocese.

He added: "The explanation of the fact or its significance has not been established. The possibility of miracles is established beyond doubt. Whether this phenomenon is an instance of supernatural power at work has not been established."

This was the first official statement from the diocesan office since crowds began gathering Wednesday at the Martin home.

Shirley Anne, whose father is a milkman, retreated yesterday to

another home. She was on a local television program last night, however, and talked with reporters.

She reported that no liquid had appeared on the image's face since a television program she took part in Thursday night.

Meanwhile, her family spoke of establishing a shrine for the statue head.

The statue no longer will be shown at the Martin home, Mrs. Martin said, because "It's a sin to carry it too far."

Thousands of persons had swarmed to the house, some seeking miraculous cures.

Mrs. Martin told reporters neither she nor her daughter claimed "any miracles."

Elks Robbers Not Amateurs

Evidence that the safe-crackers who robbed the Elks club Friday were not amateurs, but were well equipped to handle even more intricate jobs, developed in the investigation which is being conducted. It was found that the bandits used electric powered drill and saws in forcing the safe.

It was also apparent, according to the sheriff's office, that the Elks club house property was not strange to the early morning visitors. They believed to have gone to the basement where they opened a service door through which they carried their tools to the main floor and then began their operations. Other Elks club houses in northern Illinois have been objectives of similar robberies and safe crackings during the past year.

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Washington, April 16—(AP)—Senate Republicans will force "full discussion" of the North Atlantic Security pact, Senator Taft (R-Ohio) said today.

His statement in answer to a suggestion by Senator McGrath of Rhode Island, the Democratic national chairman, that Republicans may be planning to use debate on the treaty as "a legislative roadblock" against other measures on President Truman's program.

Writing in the weekly party pamphlet, "Capital Comment," McGrath charged the GOP had delayed passage of the \$5,580,000,000 European recovery bill by a "slowdown" in the senate.

"This strategy will not fool the American voter," McGrath said, "but it will cause him to scan closely the Republican record on ratification of the North Atlantic treaty to determine whether the Republicans will continue to use the peace program as a legislative roadblock."

Taft, who heads the senate GOP policy committee, replied tartly that the administration had better get ready for plenty of discussion of the security treaty. He denied the "slowdown" charge on foreign aid, and added:

Sees Public Demand
"I think there is public demand for full and comprehensive discussion of the pace and all of the problems which arise out of it, including the issue of furnishing arms to the signatory nations."

"It seems to me that this treaty is far more important as far as the country is concerned than Mr. Truman's proposed economic control measures, which have no public support whatever."

Senator Watkins (R-Utah), who has demanded the right to question witnesses who appear before the senate foreign relations committee on the treaty, called McGrath's "slowdown" charge "utter nonsense."

Call 100 Witnesses
The committee plans to hear about 100 witnesses on the pact, a staff member of the group said. Increasing public interest in the treaty has run up the size of the witness list, he added.

The hearings probably will start about April 27 and last for a month or six weeks.

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Square Dancers to Have Jamboree Here
The Dixon Square Dance Work Shop will hold a jamboree on Wednesday, April 20 in the Loveland Memorial Community hall.

The Work Shop is composed of a group of over 20 couples who enrolled in Dixon's first square dance class for beginners.

The jamboree is open to all interested personally in square dancing or who desire merely to be entertained by the music and dancing.

There will be dances, both for beginners and for those more adept as well as some exhibitions.

Wayne Fisher Rites on Monday Afternoon
Funeral services for Wayne H. Fisher, 45, who died suddenly at his home, 1707 W. Third St., will be held at 2:30 p.m. Monday, at Dixon Methodist church. Rev. A. E. Nesmith, will officiate.

Preceding this, there will be a prayer service for the family at the home at 2:00 p.m. Monday.

Fisher at the time of his death was communications engineer for the Illinois Northern Utilities company. He had been with the firm for over 25 years.

Interment will be made at Chapel Hill cemetery.

Parachutes from Golden Gate Bridge and Lives!!

San Francisco, April 15—(AP)—A stunt man parachuted from the Golden Gate bridge today and lived. The drop is about 250 feet. He was Robert L. Niles, 22, of Oakland, who says he does that sort of thing for a thrill.

He was uninjured when he was picked up from the swift currents that sweep through the entrance to San Francisco bay.

It was the second time anyone had tried such a parachute drop. Last year a man went over the rail but his chute didn't open. He died.

In documented cases, only one other person—a girl—is known to have survived a free fall from the span. She got a broken back but recovered. More recently a man was picked out of the bay, declaring he had made the jump. But there were no witnesses.

Niles has been parachuting at county fairs for several years. It was his second attempt to drop from the bridge, 243 feet above the water. On March 26

highway patrolmen nabbed him before he could go over the side.

Today, the bridge patrol office said "he sneaked up on us." Niles drove an automobile midway across the bridge. He leaped out of the car and was over the side of the bridge before the police could reach him.

Niles used what he called a "quick drop" parachute.

Coastguardsmen who examined Niles said he received burns from sliding down a rope from the rail. He used a short rope to clear the bridge structure and to insure a vertical fall.



Tom McCahill's Story of the "49" STUDEBAKER From Mechanix Illustrated Magazine

Studebaker is still the Miss America of the new automobiles—even after holding the title for three years! Since 1946, competitors have fallen over themselves in a mad rush to produce bulging, ungirdled exaggerations which, they hope, will out-Stude the Studebaker. But it is still the trim leader of its own original style setting. In a business such as the automobile business, Studebaker has done very well—as an independent outfit they have accomplished a modern miracle. The average automobile designer and industrial planner would steal his mother's last slug of whiskey on a zero night if he thought he could raise a dime on it. And it was against this gang that a nice bunch of guys from South Bend came to the front three years ago. They still refuse to move out of the picture.

Well, to steal a bit of technique from Walter Winchell and Drew Pearson, past masters of the art of reminding the public how good they are when an occasional prediction comes true, we now blushing say—remember what we wrote on these pages in 1946! We predicted that the radically new Studebaker would be copied by everybody before 1950. Now, just look around.

The 1949 Studebakers are basically the same as the '46 models with the exception of the Commander and Land Cruiser. They do have an engine change—increased horsepower. The old six-cylinder engine developed 92 hp at 3600 rpms. The new engine develops 100 hp at 3400 rpms due to an increase of an eighth of an inch in the stroke. This increase has removed all trace of torque agony in high gear.

As for the interior, the dashboard has all the instruments located in plain view of the driver—none hidden behind the steering wheel. The all-nylon upholstery is really designed for lasting beauty and the details of finish in the interior are perfect.

For my test, I decided to go to El Paso, Tex., which affords just about every type of travel condition from rugged, mountain trails to long, level stretches where you can give a car its head and let it beat its little brains out. The Southwest had some snow of its own this year and 600 miles from El Paso I found myself completely surrounded by the stuff. For two days I was bottled up in a motor court, listening to the radio announce all roads impassable.

On the third day, I was advised that travel might be attempted in the name of extreme emergency, and as that's the editor's nickname, I started out for El Paso in my own automobile. For the first 100 miles I was the only guy in sight as I plowed across the ice and snow-covered prairie highway, averaging close to ten mph. All of a sudden, I heard a horn and a Studebaker Commander rushed by. Feeling a little sheepish about my own speed, I hit the throttle and started to follow suit. There was another horn blast and, so help me, another Studebaker whizzed by. And then again a third—all Commanders.

Well, a guy can stand just so much of that, so I closed in behind them and did my best to stay there. As the day progressed, more and more cars appeared—but the three Studebakers passed everything. Their traction was amazing.

Perhaps due to the cold, my alleged brain was working slower than usual because it was some time before I started thinking— isn't it a bit unusual that the three cars ahead should be Studebakers? And isn't it amazing to find three such top flight drivers handling them? Sure—I know you guessed it—they were test cars driven by test drivers heading for the West Coast for a tire company. They sure put me through a few bad hours and you can take it from me that these Studebakers really hold the road in icy going. Incidentally, none of us were using chains or snow tires.

My personal test of these cars came when I finally arrived in El Paso. I was given a '49 Land Cruiser, the de luxe job of the Commander line. As soon as it was warmed up, I headed for the mountains where there was still a trace of snow. And I was impressed with the added power and steering qualities.

I think the Studebakers, with their 15 by 650 tires are the best steering cars in America today. The ratio has been raised from old standards—but even so you don't have to wind them up like a 50-cent watch with a broken mainspring in order to negotiate a corner. They'll really answer the slightest touch of the wheel. This accounts for their superiority in snow and ice and gives the driver some skid control. Also, I found that they hug the road admirably, with little sway on curves.

On one mountain, I decided to test the riding qualities a little farther and give the car an exaggerated roadability try. So I left the road and followed a path over loose stones and rocks. I skidded the car around narrow bends and bounded over gulleys on level stretches. I built up speed and at one point gave a coyote a hell of a chase. I bet if Paul Hofman (ex-Pres. of the Studebaker Corporation) could have seen me, he would have left the Marshall Plan flat just to tell me—"Look! We build automobiles, not goats!"

But I found the riding qualities superb and the roadability and sure-footedness far better than the average guy will ever need. This run would have cracked the back of many cars now being sold at similar prices. And the Studebaker's only casualty was the loss of a loose hub cap. Back on the highway again, I was curious to see if I had uncovered any new squeaks or noises. They were bound to show up then, if ever. Over regular rough roads, the car was as silent as a fish's kiss.

There isn't a better name than Studebaker in the entire automobile industry. They've always put out excellent products—and even more important—honest ones. This can't be said for all the rest of the car manufacturers, unfortunately. If there's any place where pride in workmanship still exists in the auto industry, it's in the Studebaker plant. They build good, honest cars to the best of their ability. And the public gets more than just an even break—it gets a fine car in the bargain.

Frankly, I think the Studebaker Commander and the Land Cruiser are excellent buys from the standpoint of luxury and dollar-for-dollar value. There are undoubtedly autos in their price range which can top them in either speed, power or acceleration—but none by very much. And when you weigh all factors for the average car owner Studebaker looks like the top buy.

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FBI Locates Funds Taken By Absconder

New York, April 16—(AP)—The FBI's piecemeal search for almost a million dollars stolen from a branch of the National City bank was just about over today.

A new batch of currency—\$6,620 was turned up yesterday in the home of ex-banker Richard Crowe by his wife, Honora.

That virtually closed the books on the tracking down of the \$883,660 in cash and bonds which Crowe on March 25 carted out of a branch of the National City bank where he was assistant manager.

There is only \$650 still not accounted for, the FBI said.

But by bit, federal agents have ferreted out all the rest in Easter-egg-hunt fashion.

The money recovered yesterday—in \$5 and \$10 bills—was found by Mrs. Crowe in a cardboard dress box on a closet shelf in the family's 11-room Staten Island home.

Mrs. Crowe notified authorities of the fund. She said her husband had whispered to her when she saw him recently and told her of the hiding place.

Other portions of the missing funds have been found in a variety of places—in an attic, buried beside a coffin, in Crowe's parents' home, and scattered to his creditors through the mail.

Pre-trial mental tests have been ordered for the personable 41-year-old ex-banker and civic leader, who faces four federal embezzlement indictments. When he was arrested April 4, in a Daytona Beach, Fla., bar, he had nearly \$55,000 in cash in a suitcase with him.

Fifty Attend Aid Meet in Scarboro

Scarboro—The Ladies Aid met Thursday afternoon. There were about 50 present at the meeting, led by Luella Durin.

Guests were Ada Smith, Rochelle, Dorothy Thompson, Myrtle Smith and Ollie Holden, Steward.

The serving committee was Ethel Rees, Ruth Applier and Violet Squire.

HOBBY CLUB MEETS

The Booster Hobby club met at the home of Lelia Place Wednesday afternoon. About 20 were there.

Lelia Place talked on "Precious Stones."

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Oregon Woman's Relief Corps Observes Sixtieth Anniversary

Oregon—The Oregon Woman's Relief corps observed its 60th anniversary Monday at the Presbyterian church with a dinner served at noon.

The following district and department officers were present: Vena Colson, Oregon district president; Cora Dale, Lanark, district senior vice president; Frances Waterman, Savana, district junior vice president; Helen Johnson, River Forest, department president; Mildred Morgan, Chicago, department inspector; Mary Egan, Chicago, department hospital chairman; Abbie Hays, Rochelle, department patriotic instructor.

Over 125 members from the district attended.

The program presented at the anniversary celebration included: Tribute to the flag, Addie Lumsden; reading, "How Mucky Got Kilt in the War," Mary Reed, whistling solo, Grace Carpenter; history of the Oregon corps, Harriet Todd, solo, Aletha Goley; introduction of guests, Marion Otten; reading of regrets, Neva Messenger; introduction of Junior club members, Vena Colson.

Two Home Bureau Units Meet in Amboy Wednesday

Amboy—The evening and afternoon units of the Home Bureau held a joint meeting Wednesday night in the basement of the Pankhurst Memorial library. The lesson on "Landscaping" was given by Miss June Pilgrim, home adviser. Miss Louise Knuth played two piano solos.

The lesson on "Stain Removal," which was to have been given by Mrs. Chauncey Robbins, has been postponed until the next meeting.

The next meeting of the afternoon unit will be at the home of Mrs. Gladys Steeder, Dixon, in May.

TO BE HOSTESS

The Women's club will meet at the home of Mrs. S. W. Sam, Monday, at 2:30 p. m. Club officers will give their annual reports. Miss Carolyn Tait will present a reading.

AMBOY BRIEFS

Mrs. Marvin Ohsang, Clinton, Ia., visited Wednesday and Thursday with her sisters, Misses Mattie and Anna Hammond.

Mrs. Catherine Hammond will have Easter dinner at her home for the Leo Lauers, the John Elliotts, and William Clark.

Don Emery and Ken Critser, students at Knox college, Galesburg, arrived Thursday night to spend Easter weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Emery and Mrs. Lois Clayton.

Gene Ellis, student at I.S.N.U., will return to school Monday after having spent spring vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ellis.

Carolee and Conrad Aschenbrenner have been enjoying Easter vacation from I.S.N.U. with their mother, Mrs. Carole Aschenbrenner. They will return to school Monday.

WILL ENTERTAIN

Mrs. Robert McPherson will entertain the Mary and Martha society of St. Paul's Lutheran church Tuesday, April 19 at 8 p. m., at the Orville Sell home.

OREGON BRIEFS

Ronald Messen came from the University of Illinois to spend the Easter vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Messen.

Miss Patricia Hollowell and Richard Fay, Chicago, were weekend guests at the Clayton D. Hollowell home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mattison plan to spend Easter with their son, James, and family at Riverdale, Tex.

Mrs. Francis Wilde entertained her knitting and sewing club Wednesday evening.

Don Wachlin, a student at Ripon college, Ripon, Wis., is spending the Easter vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Wachlin.

Easter weekend guests at the home of Dr. and Mrs. L. B. Swingle will be their son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. W.G. Jackson, Kalamazoo, Mich., and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Jackson and daughter, of Goshen, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Banner will spend the weekend with the Rev. and Mrs. A. H. Coleman, Foolsland and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Banner, Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Behler recently returned home from Florida where they spent the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Ferrell have moved into their new home on South Ninth street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wendorf will have as weekend guests, her sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. Robert Belzar and her parents Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Walander, all of Chicago.

John Franklin will go to Detroit.

Various kinds of fluffed-up rock produced more or less on the same principles as puffed breakfast grains, have become popular for purposes ranging from potting house plants to lightweight aggregate for concrete.

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Mrs. Francis Wilde entertained her knitting and sewing club Wednesday evening.

Don Wachlin, a student at Ripon college, Ripon, Wis., is spending the Easter vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Wachlin.

Easter weekend guests at the home of Dr. and Mrs. L. B. Swingle will be their son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. W.G. Jackson, Kalamazoo, Mich., and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Jackson and daughter, of Goshen, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Banner will spend the weekend with the Rev. and Mrs. A. H. Coleman, Foolsland and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Banner, Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Behler recently returned home from Florida where they spent the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Ferrell have moved into their new home on South Ninth street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wendorf will have as weekend guests, her sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. Robert Belzar and her parents Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Walander, all of Chicago.

John Franklin will go to Detroit.

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vacation from I.S.N.U. with their mother, Mrs. Carole Aschenbrenner. They will return to school Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Neis, and children, Mary Luz and Tommy, Galesburg, arrived to spend the weekend with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Neis.

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Great Strides Are Being Made in Low-Cost Housing

Backed by builders, building materials manufacturers and governmental agencies, a concerted movement to make new homes available to families of average means is having far-reaching results. Reports from every section of the country indicate that definite progress has been made in the field of low cost housing.

Three federal agencies—the Federal Housing Administration, the Housing and Home Finance Agency and the Home Loan Bank Board—have joined in promoting the "economy housing program." Its goal is the production of a maximum volume of dwelling units keyed to the ability of American families to pay.

Even before the program was officially launched, however, home builders' associations in many cities were at work on the problem. New designs, new materials and new techniques have been put to work. As a result, thousands of attractive and serviceable homes have been put up to sell in the \$6,000 to \$10,000 price range.

Among the modern materials being used in many of the economy housing projects are those fabricated from asbestos fibers and portland cement. These products include siding, roofing shingles and flat sheets. Economy of cost and application has been a factor in the selection, but freedom from maintenance expense provides an additional selling point for the builders.

Builds "House a Day"
Asbestos siding is being used on a wide scale in a 1,000-house project in a San Antonio suburb. Half of them will be in the \$5,750 to \$6,500 range. The builder plans to complete "a house a day" during 1949.

Detroit builders are working cooperatively to develop economy housing ideas. Forty-one builders joined in buying a tract of land in suburban Royal Oak and each is erecting one or two houses. Six basic floor plans are used and each has six variations in architectural treatment. One of the first to be completed had asbestos cement siding, automatic oil heat, oak floors, and insulation. It sold for \$7,870, the buyer paying \$230 down and \$33 a month.

One hundred and forty-two houses in the economy range are being built near Philadelphia. They are frame with asbestos siding and have poured concrete foundations and full basements. The lots measure 60 by 100 feet.

A 199-house project has been completed in Baltimore. A power-tool equipped shop on the site cut materials to size. Interior finishing was done by the dry-wall method and the exteriors were covered with attractive white asbestos cement siding. The houses were set on concrete block foundations. All rooms except kitchen and bath were finished with oak floors laid over sub-flooring. These two-bedroom houses sold for \$6,000, with monthly payments totaling \$40.

Sides With Asbestos Board
Asbestos cement board was used as the siding material in an 87-house project in Columbia, S. C. Wood battens conceal the joints and are used additionally for decorative effect. Each house has a large bedroom and a smaller one. The builder was able to sell these two-bedroom basementless houses for \$5,350, with monthly payments totaling only \$33.54.



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Red Oak—The Brotherhood met in the church parlors Tuesday evening.

Geel Heaton was in charge. Rev. Krell gave a talk on "The Three Crosses." The refreshment committee was Alvin Birkley, Marvin Guither, Walter Baumgartner, Henry Kuhnert, Claire Parson and Harold Foss.

RED OAK PERSONALS
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Birkey, Princeton, were Sunday guests at the Sam Baumgartner home. Mr. and Mrs. William Schrader attended the funeral of Mrs. Schrader's aunt, Mrs. P. J. Anderson in Princeton Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Anderson was buried in the Mausoleum cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. George Huffeka and Mrs. Alma Riley of Princeton, were Sunday callers at the Annie Massie home.

Harry Brehm was expected to return to Nebraska Wednesday. He reports Mrs. Brehm slowly recovering from her recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Guither were in Buda Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Don Von Bergen and a friend of Mrs. Von Bergens of Sterling, were dinner guests of her parents, the John Hammerlins, Thursday.

Mrs. Marvin Ioder and daughter, Edith, attended a musicale in Wyandot Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Verner Heaton, Mrs. Dale Rickert, Mrs. Bill Anderson and Mrs. Marvin Guither attended the initiation ceremonies at Ruth chapter, OES, in Princeton Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Ioder went by plane to DeKalb Sunday where they visited their daughter, Carol.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Taylor, Ashton, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kuhnert.

Mrs. Cora Barkman has returned from Providence where she has been convalescing in the Lyle Barkman home from the broken hip she suffered in a fall in December.

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Republican Representatives Stand Firm in Attack on Our Constitution

The people of the Thirty-Fifth Senatorial district have reason to give thanks to the two Republican members of the Illinois House, Charles K. Willett of Dixon and George Brydia of Prophetstown, for their courageous stand against the raid of Governor Stevenson and his pressure crews on the constitution of the state of Illinois. Willett and Brydia, along with most of the Republican members of the house, defended our basic law successfully in the house vote of last Wednesday by voting against the holding of a constitutional convention. Governor Stevenson lacked five votes, despite every kind of an offer and every sort of pressure, and it is unlikely that the bill can pass at this session.

If the constitution of Illinois has faults, and it probably has, they can be corrected by offering constitutional amendments one at a time to the electorate. Should we draw up a new constitution the new dealers in Springfield and all the other crackpot groups would hatch a weird and dangerous instrument. Illinois is getting along very nicely with its present constitution and when we want to correct it let us do it in the lawful, orderly and cautious manner which the wise founders prescribed. A fine sample of the wisdom of these founding fathers is the manner in which they safeguarded the constitution against public hysteria, the blandishments of the demagogue and the snap-judgment of the long-haired reformers. They provided that only by a two-thirds vote of the legislature could a convention be called to rewrite the constitution, thereby making the members of the legislature, who should know better than anyone else the needs for reform in the state, the first line of defense against seizure of power by groups with special interests.

The bill of rights, the tax laws, the protection of downstate Illinois and the good people of Chicago as well as among the freedoms that are endangered by those who want to rewrite our constitution. We should be grateful that we have men in Springfield who will resist the bribes and stand up and fight to preserve our basic rights.

'Rural Values' Good for All of Us

At a recent rural education conference there was a good deal of discussion of the values in country life. Men and women reared on the farm, who had learned to love the open country and the beauties of nature, were anxious that their boys and girls should understand the compensations that can be found on the farm before being lured away by the bright lights and higher wages of the city.

It is sometimes hard for a farmer and his wife, faced with their burden of work and worry, to lift their eyes to the beauties of the hills, to stop and enjoy an enchanting sunset, to realize their fortune in being able to breathe fresh air and to know nature at her best. But the values are there, and are very real.

If farm families appreciate them, then city folk who have been deprived of them should know them, too. City children as well as rural children should learn to enjoy the glory of the open countryside—even as glimpsed through a car window. They, too, should be taught the satisfaction that comes of working with growing plants and animals. It will do us all good to consider the "rural values."

THE DOCTOR SAYS

Bacteriology Reduces Streptococci Dangers

By EDWIN P. JORDAN, M.D.

Streptococci are germs which look like the little round balls attached end to end like a chain. There are several kinds, some of which are responsible for scarlet fever, some for sore throat, most cases of "blood poisoning" and childbed fever.

Surgeons always watched for signs of streptococci infections after their operations even before they knew what was responsible. Mothers dreaded to go into hospitals because of the great danger of such infections. The germs were carried by unpasteurized milk and caused illness in several hundred families if the milk became contaminated with streptococci.

DANGER REDUCED
All this has been changed. As a result of studies in the science of bacteriology, or germ diseases, no longer is there a serious danger of contracting childbed fever in hospitals. Rarely are there epidemics from milk carrying or food-carrying streptococci.

The pasteurization of milk, which is the process of heating milk to kill germs, and the greater attention given to preventing the entrance of these germs into the milk, have all meant increased safety for the milk drinker. The greatest credit belongs to those who pioneered in understanding the methods which could be used to combat these danger-

Doctor Answers

By EDWIN P. JORDAN, M.D.

QUESTION: For what conditions are electric shock treatments given?

ANSWER: Electric shock treatments are today more commonly given for certain kinds of mental illness than for anything else. Results are frequently very good.

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

Expert Makes Slam on This Game Bid

Hand: ♠ J 5 ♥ 7 6 ♦ Q 8 5 4 3 ♣ 7 5 4 Deal: ♠ A Q 10 9 ♥ 9 4 ♦ 6 2 ♣ A J 9 3 2	Hand: ♠ 4 3 ♥ K J 10 5 3 ♦ A J 10 ♣ K 10 8
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By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY
America's Card Authority
Written for NEA Service

Any time that Mrs. Helen Sobel of New York City, enters a bridge tournament, the odds are in favor of her finishing in a win, place or show position. She has long been rated the world's outstanding woman player, and she is certainly one of the highest ranking players of the country among both men and women.

Mrs. Sobel devotes a great deal of time to playing bridge. However, she prefers rubber bridge to tournament bridge. She and her teammates, Samuel Fry, Jr., Mrs. Lester Rhodes and Richard F. Kahn, recently won the Eastern States mixed team-of-four championship. Then won 10 matches, which was 8½ more than the second place team.

Kibitzing Mrs. Sobel is apt to become rather monotonous. You are always looking for something spectacular, but she bids her hands easily and smoothly, then carefully thinks over her line of play, planning every move she is going to make. If you watched her play today's hand, there would seem to be nothing difficult about it.

On the opening lead of the seven of hearts South played the ten-spot and Mrs. Sobel won the trick with the queen. She led a small spade to dummy's queen. South did not cover, so she let it ride, then led a small club from dummy, winning with the ace. Another spade was led to dummy's ace, picking up the trumps.

Now Mrs. Sobel ruffed the deuce of clubs in her own hand, which established the nine and three of clubs. She cashed the ace of hearts, ruffed a heart in dummy, and discarded her two diamonds on the nine and three of clubs. Thus she made seven-odd.



Q—How does a dog follow a trail made by a human being?

A—A dog's success in trailing depends primarily on his accurate discrimination of earth odor from the compression and stronger vaporization of the spots stepped upon, plant odor from the destroyed vegetation; odor traces from shoes and shoe polish; odor traces from decaying animal or other organic matter and the body odor specific to any particular person.

Q—Do delegates to nominating conventions receive a salary?

A—The delegates to the national conventions for nominating presidential and vice presidential candidates receive no compensation of any kind for their services.

Q—Who is the only major leaguer to catch three no-hit, no-run games?

A—Luke Sewell, now coaching the Cincinnati Reds. The three pitchers were Wes Ferrell in 1931, Vernon Kennedy in 1936 and Bill Dietrich in 1937.

Q—Is milk food or drink?

A—Milk is food not a beverage to quench the thirst.

Q—How many signers of the Constitution became presidents?

A—Two, George Washington and James Madison, both of Virginia, were the only signers of the original draft of the Federal Constitution who later became presidents of the United States.

Social Situations

SITUATION: Your son accepts a girl's invitation to a party and then decides he would rather go with some other girl who asked him later.

WRONG WAY: Encourage him to do as he likes about the matter.

RIGHT WAY: Impress upon him the importance of keeping his promise to go with the first girl.

Uncle Sam Is Playing His Big Ace



Colman May Be Thru with Movies, but He's Ahead

By ERSKINE JOHNSON

Hollywood—(NEA)—Ronald Colman is talking about semi-retirement again. He's telling friends he may never make another film, preferring radio appearances at \$5000 a crack and overseeing his San Ysidro Ranch at Santa Barbara. He can afford it—he made his money before high taxes.

Doctors are worried about Sonja Henie's terrific loss of weight. She went on a three-week diet six months ago to lose excess pounds, but the pounds are still falling off.

The Dick Haymes-Nora Eddington headlines have church groups again talking about a film boycott. Some of the letters of protest to movie czar Eric Johnston are sizzlers.

Edna Cantor's first NBC television show will be kinescoped from Hollywood on Oct. 4. It will be a monthly show with a different cast from his air program.

Prediction: Watch for a rekindling of the Jane Wyman-Manny Sacks romance. The Columbia record executive and Jane met following her separation from Ronald Reagan but distance has separated them until now.

Now Sacks has arranged to spend more time in Hollywood—to give Lew Ayres some competition.

Aside to Van Johnson: Montgomery Clift has acquired a fan club at the Old Folks Home in Omaha, Neb. The youngest member is 79. The president, Mrs. C. E. Quinn, is 93.

REMAKE OF "EAGER"

M-G-M is about to announce a remake of Bob Taylor's big hit, "Johnny Eager," with Kirk Douglas in the Taylor role. Helen Hayes is penciled in for the mother role in the film version of "Glass Menagerie."

Sudden thought: Aren't producer Bill Perlberg and director George Seaton one of Hollywood's prize teams? They've been associated for nine years and are responsible for such films as "Song of Bernadette," "Miracle on 34th Street," "Apartment for Peggy" and "Chicken Every Sunday."

Hollywood has premiered everything except a cookbook—and Jack Bailey will take care of that oversight. His cookbook, "What's Cookin'," will get a typical Hollywood premier—lights, stars, brachers and a half-hour radio show at the rear of a food market.

Frances Gifford is describing her role in "Ridin' High" as a new twist. She says: "For the first time in my life I lose my man (Bing Crosby) to a horse."

New twist for an A film maybe, but it's been happening for years in westerns.

It's a new contract, with a big raise, for Susan Hayward. She's under personal contract to Walter



Johnson

Wanger. . . Ken Murray was interviewing members of his "Blackouts" audience. One customer said he saw the show six years ago when he was a GI on his way to the Pacific. "Do you notice anything new?" beamed Ken.

"Yes," said the ex-GI, "you're grayer."

Sight of the week: Hedy Lamarr, of all people, learning rifle shooting and knife throwing for her role of a western belle in "Copper Canyon."

ECONOMY LESSON

Movie makers suffering from money shortages and others conditions of economic stress are getting a lesson in success from Hollywood's youngest producer. He's 25-year-old John Champion, a law student before the war and a producer only since his military discharge two years ago. He's made two westerns and is about to start a third.

The first "Pannhandle," cost only \$268,000 and in 10 months its revenue has exceeded \$500,000. The second, "Stampede," is about to be released.

Typical Champion ingenuity: He heard about a big cattle roundup in Mexico, where government agencies were exterminating hopelessly diseased cattle. A big herd was to be stampeded and driven over a cliff. Champion took a camera crew to Mexico and filmed the stampede for \$16,000.

A similar stampede in "Red River," staged for the film, cost \$250,000.

The harness racing enthusiast, 71-year-old Charles Coburn, was asked by Linda Darnell if the sulky sport sometimes didn't prove a little too strenuous. Coburn assumed a patronizing air, looked Linda squarely in the eye and without a trace of a smile volunteered:

"Young lady, in the harness racing circuit they refer to me as 'that young'un'."

Canada Has Cash for U. S. Veterans

Washington, April 16—(AP)—Canada is looking for "a few thousand" Americans who served in Canadian armed forces. It wants to give them the benefits to which they are entitled, including cash.

The Canadian department of veterans affairs has asked the aid of the Veterans Administration in trying to locate those who have not been paid.

Every veteran of the Canadian forces is entitled to a war service gratuity and a re-establishment credit.

"Me slept with daddy last night," said the small child to the kindergarten lady who believed in correct diction, even by the very young, and with emphasis said "I slept with daddy last night." "Well then," said the child, "you must have come in after I went to sleep."

SO THEY SAY

Absence of fear and freedom of association will return to us as a working mechanism of our democracy if citizens can have the facts about the nature of the organizations they join.

—James Lawrence Fly, former chairman of Federal Communications.

Life is a whole, and luck is a whole, and no part of them can be separated from the rest. Winton Churchill in "Maxims and Reflections."

It (the Republican Party) needs to be saved from those in the party who would take us back to the 1920's. They're scared to death that if they don't somebody might accuse them of being a "me too" party. If they do go back I am sure they will be a "has been" party.

—Sen. Wayne L. Morse (R) of Oregon.

Unless we are very careful, Soviet leaders might jump to the conclusion that the (North Atlantic) Pact is, in fact, offensive. If so, it might bring on the war which it is designed to prevent.

—John Foster Dulles, U.S. delegate to UN Security Council.

The Congress and the President are working together and will continue to work together for the good of the country. . . and when the final score for this Congress is added up, some of the selfish pressure groups are going to be pretty badly disappointed.

—President Truman.

BARBS

Barbers in a midwest town struck for better pay. A razor store!

Americans eat more than a billion and a half crackers a year—much to the delight of the clothes-brush people.

If it weren't so hard to settle up, fewer people would settle down right after marriage.

Thieves broke into a military school and stole a march—on the cops.

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Hal Tells What He Thinks a Soldier Prays on Easter

BY HAL BOYLE

New York—(AP)—This is a nice Easteride, because men don't have to talk to God alone in a foxhole.

This hasn't been necessary for some four years. In crowded small church or tall cathedral of Christian lands families can worship Jesus in peace.

But many an ex-soldier, looking at the young son kneeling beside him, will wonder:

"Will my boy some day have to—as I did—pray alone at this time in some place of war?"

And he will offer up a small silent prayer of his own that this won't happen. And the prayers will be said in many languages—English, French, Dutch, Russian, German, Italian.

Easter has a peculiar name in the heart of men in combat. At Christmas thoughts of religion aren't in their minds so much as the memories of their families.

The broken packages full of small gifts come and they are homesick to the bone.

Story of Christ

But at Easter the story of Christ's death and rebirth stirred the dormitory of the second world war dead. Part of it, perhaps was tied up also with the rebirth of the particular land he was fighting across. He could be in his muddy foxhole and see the green spears of grass springing from the winter-flooded earth.

I don't know how the fighter who felt at Easter, eliminate a "ramrod" shot. Probably he felt like the post-primus man who wrote he had the sensation of being alone—able to reach out and touch the hand of God.

But I do know how many of the walking soldiers felt. Some came to believe that they understood the God-man carpenter better than anybody. For the infantryman suffers most in war, and lives on faith. They came closer to him through the Unhush of neony.

There Were Atheists

It isn't true, of course that there were no atheists in foxholes. But the atheist was a particularly lonely man at Easter. His foxhole held only a man with an animal desire to keep on living. But the foxhole next to him held that and something more—

a man with faith that if he were killed there was a spiritual life beyond.

I don't know that this made any difference to a German artillery shell. But it made a difference to the two men.

Wherever possible, the front line soldiers were brought back a few thousand yards at Easter, a group at a time, to attend brief religious services. This gave them a respite from rifle and mortar fire. But they were still within enemy bombardment range.

Once I attended one of these services in a clearing in a cork forest on northern Tunisia. After it was over a grumpy infantryman said to me thoughtfully:

Must Puzzle God

"You know this must puzzle God. We come out of the lines to pray to Him. On the other side the Germans must be doing the same thing. Everybody praying for peace."

"But when we're through we go right back into the lines and start trying to kill each other again. Does that make sense to God? It doesn't to me."

Well this year the problem doesn't exist. And that is the blessing of Easter 1949.

COOK ACCUSATES FAT

A cook in the home of a well known person, gained twenty pounds in two months after her employment began. She was a big woman when she started, so the addition was pure excess and should have been taxed at 50 percent.

Her bulging figure caused her no embarrassment, and her appetite was insatiable. One day she rebuked her boss when she observed him pour a glass of milk from a quart bottle without turning it to distribute the cream.

With help so scarce, the employer said nothing. He merely reflected that the fat woman was personally consuming four quarts of milk daily which, according to information printed on the bottle, is the equivalent in energy value to 20 lbs. of spinach, 14 lbs. of codfish, 32 eggs, 4 lbs. of lean steak, or 28 oranges. He wondered why she begrudged him a bit of cream.

Marriage Improves Men at First, Young Brides Say

One year of marriage improves the final decision about the living-room furniture, while another large group said it was mutual. "Feminine hegemony is even more pronounced in the bedroom. Some 51% of our brides say their own was furnished either to their taste or with home husbandly advice."

More than half of the young wives said their husbands are now "more thoughtful" and 82% said their husbands are "helpful around the house."

Almost half the husbands are now more inclined to discuss business with their wives, according to the magazine. About half are "budget-minded." None of the wives would call their husbands "free with money."

There were some problems, the brides reported. According to Living, "one-third of the men tend to take their wives for granted, are more particular and more apt to insist on their own way as bachelors than they formerly had as bachelors."

Who's The Boss?

Here is the evidence about who's boss in the average young household: "Almost half the brides made

RUTH MILLETT

Successful Party Depends On the Selection of Guests

What is the most important ingredient for a successful party? The guests of course. Yet it's surprising how many women think that if their house is in shining order and they have plenty of good food—they've done all they can to make an evening successful.

They don't seem to realize that a well-balanced guests list is far more important than a well-balanced meal in entertaining at home. Unless a hostess is entertaining persons who are all good friends she should select her guests for an evening as carefully as she plans her menu.

There should be some men and some women who can talk entertainingly, and who can be counted on to keep the conversation going. So that the evening doesn't become one of those painful times when all the guests are wracking their brains to fill deadly silences with small talk.

It often helps, too, if there are at least one or two newcomers for the other guests to get acquainted with. They add some variety and interest to the evening—if only to talk about to their husbands on the way home.

Special Woman Guest Needed



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SOCIETY NEWS

Whiteside County Pomona Grange Is Entertained Wed.

Whiteside County Pomona Grange was entertained by the Round Grove Grange Wednesday evening in the Grange hall with a good attendance. Four subordinate members became Pomona members.

Mrs. Walters of the Round Grove Grange gave an interesting report on Safety and Mrs. Nye of the Milledgeville Grange gave a report on Cancer which was entitled, "Who, What, Why and When of Cancer." Books were passed pertaining to cancer. These books had been received from the Illinois division, American Cancer Society.

Mrs. Louise Pfundstein, chairman of the Home Economics committee, announced that she was having good cooperation with her cook books. Mrs. Elbert Bartel of the Geneseo Grange reminded all members to take advantage of the TB survey which is free.

Mrs. Overholser gave a report on her trip to Florida which proved very interesting.

Enjoy Program
The program was in charge of the three granges with Mrs. Myrtle Knut as chairman. Among the selections on the program was an Easter Parade with 12 men modeling Easter Bonnets. Master P. D. Dale won first prize for having the most comical hat. Bonnie Church sang and tap danced and also twirled the baton during the program. Mrs. Wolf rendered three vocal solos and the program closed with Mrs. Wolf's small daughter singing two numbers.

Refreshments were served by the ladies of the Round Grove grange.

Easter Gift from England Received by Dixon Infant

Bonnie Lou Freeburg, three-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Freeburg of 911 College avenue, has received a hand made sweater, coat and shoes from Lancashire, England as an Easter gift. This gift came from a pen pal of her grandmother, Mrs. Elsie Reid. The package also contained a hand made rattle of thimbles. Marilyn, daughter of Mrs. Reid, also received a hand made knit fair-isle cap and mittens which was made by the 12-year-old daughter of Mrs. Hallows. The work on all of these is superior.

Mrs. Reid and Mrs. Hallows have been corresponding for about six months.

Practical Club Enjoys Easter Poems at Meet

Members of the Practical club held their Tuesday, April 12th meeting at the home of Mrs. H. D. Bills, 620 Crawford avenue. Spring flowers graced the dining room table from which a 1:30 dessert luncheon was served.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Rowena Powell.

The paper for the afternoon was ably given by Mrs. A. N. Boyd. She also read several Easter poems. Items of interest were read by Mrs. Clark Rickard and were also on Easter.

A social hour was enjoyed.

Children Enjoy Easter Egg Hunt

Members of the Children's Division and Mission Band enjoyed an Easter egg hunt with games in the basement of the Grace Evangelical church Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Norman W. Dietrich, Children's Division superintendent, had charge of the party and was very ably assisted by Mrs. Harold Wickler, Mrs. Francis Loomis, Mrs. Paul Kuter, Mrs. Charles Patchett, Mrs. Ted Metzger and Mrs. John Hyland.

Children winning prizes were Benny Beaman, Marlin Wickler and Patsy Farster.

AMVETS AUXILIARY TO MEET
The regular monthly social meeting of the Amvets Auxiliary, Post 123, Dixon, will be held Tuesday, April 19th, in the Amvets hall. The meeting promises to be a very interesting one and will start promptly at 8 p. m. Members are given the opportunity of inviting a guest.

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Easter To Be Celebrated By Dixonites and Guests

As last minute plans are made for this Easter Sunday by busy business and travelers one of the major thoughts is the weather. The question is whether to still have the Easter Egg Hunt or plan indoor activities and if we ladies should exchange our fur coats for spring suits. As this Easter of 1949 appears many Dixonites are coming home and many will gather together.

Among the college students home are Jerry Vick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Vick, who is here from the University of Illinois.

Mrs. E. J. Brown and daughter, Jean, and mother, Mrs. Jennie Mathews will go to Polo for Easter dinner with Mrs. Brown's son, Russell E. Brown and his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Bothe and son, Steven, are going to Amboy where they will be among guests at a family dinner at the home of Mrs. Bothe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Long.

Miss Janet Shaw is spending Easter at her home on Ravine avenue.

Louise Cannon of De Pauw University arrived home Friday for her spring and Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. LeGrand Cannon.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Cook and son, Danny, will spend Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James

Women's Club Meet Recently

(Telegraph Special Service)
Franklin Grove—On Monday evening at the Franklin Grove gym 114 Woman's club members and guests from Franklin Grove, Ashton, Amboy and Dixon gathered to hear an Easter cantata under the direction of Mrs. E. M. Goodsell of Dixon.

Before the program a short business meeting was held by the Franklin club. The following officers were elected for the following year: president, Mrs. Pearl Kesselring; first vice president, Mrs. Sadie Myers; 2nd vice president, Mrs. Ruth Dillion; recording secretary, Mrs. Marion Trotter; financial secretary, Mrs. Pauline Wiseman and treasurer, Mrs. Alice Baker.

Sage-Holton Wedding Told

Mrs. Winnifred Sage became the bride of Homer Holton at the First Church of God in this city, Monday, April 11. The Rev. A. L. Holder officiated at the single ring ceremony.

The bride was attired in a black dressmaker suit and wore a pearl brooch at her throat. Her hat was navy blue with a cluster of pale pink roses at the crown.

The new Mrs. Holton, a member of the International Piano Teachers' association, will continue to teach her piano class. Mr. Holton is employed by the Schbacker Paint Construction company in Rocknele.

Serve Refreshments
Refreshments were served in the basement of the church immediately following the ceremony.

Leaders and Unit Chairmen Attend Wednesday Lesson

Wednesday afternoon at the Loveland Community House, Miss Marguerite Briggs, University of Illinois specialist on Child Development and Parent Education, conducted a training school for 4-H leaders and Home Bureau unit chairmen. The major lesson on "Youth Needs and Problems" was stressed by Miss Briggs.

Leaders present will relay this informative lesson to their units in May.

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Meade in Amboy. Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Meade and son Davy, also of Dixon will be guests.

Mr. and Mrs. William Radwell and daughter, Mary Owen, of Barrington will spend Easter Sunday with Mr. Radwell's mother, Mrs. H. U. Radwell on East Second street.

Mary Elain Drew is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Omer Drew, from Clark College.

Jerry Callahan of Northern Illinois State Teachers College at DeKalb and Bernard Callahan of St. Ambrose are here for the holiday with their mother, Mrs. Iva Callahan.

At the Dr. and Mrs. Henry McCoy home are Sally McCoy of St. Mary's on the Fox and Joan McCoy from Clark College.

Dr. and Mrs. Z. W. Moss will be dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. John Stager in Sterling.

Russell Byers who is home for his Easter vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Byers has had as his guest, Miss Mickey Benson of Maywood and also a student at Boland College, Miss Benson returned to Maywood today.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shoemaker will be spending Easter with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Shoemaker in Edina.

Mary Lucille Weller, a student at Clarke College is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Weller in Mt Morris.

To Be in Morrison

The 44th annual session of the Rebekah District Assembly will be held at Morrison, Ill., Tuesday, April 19th. The morning session will open at 9:30, afternoon at 1:30 and evening at 7:30.

Mrs. Helen Knox of Morrison is the District President. Among the state officers attending the meeting will be Pansy Huskemyer of Centralia, president and Etta Bissler, Aurora, vice president. Mrs. Venetta Six of Dixon is a delegate from Minnie Belle Rebekah lodge.

At the evening session 15 members of Minnie Belle Rebekah lodge will have charge of the Memorial. During the past year two of the members passed away, Mrs. Edna Friedrichs and Mrs. Emma K. Robbins.

Several of the members are planning on attending the entire session.

Future Teachers Elect Officers

When members of the Future Teachers of America organization, which is composed of junior and senior girls and boys from the Dixon high school, met Tuesday evening at the Loveland Community House they elected officers. This group was organized recently by the recruitment committee of Delta Kappa Gamma which is composed of Margaret Richards, chairman, Ada West and Edith Shal.

Miss Marguerite O'Brien of the training school at Northern Illinois Teachers college, talked to the group on the requirements of teachers of Illinois.

Officers elected were: President, Joan Hoff; vice president, Larry Adams; secretary, Connie Saari; treasurer, Robert Beebe; historian, Peggy Rhodes, and librarian, Darlene Swartz.

COUNTY CHAIRMEN
Mrs. Edward T. Powell of Hillsboro O., who is well known here, having been a frequent Hazelwood visitor, is serving as county chairman of the National Cancer society in Hillsboro. She was in charge of a recent dinner meeting that opened the campaign in Highland county.

Flowers Say "Happy Easter"

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Plan "Hollywood Breakfast" Gifts

Plans are progressing rapidly for the "Hollywood Breakfast" to be sponsored by Dixon Circle No. 73 Ladies of the GAR on Wednesday morning, April 20th at 11 o'clock at the Elks club. John Cahill will portray that lovable character Tom Brownman, Jim Brady will be Uncle Corny and judges for the hat and gown neighbor contests will be Dale Flynn, Ray Chitt, and George Edelson. Mrs. J. R. Fitzsimons will be musician for the entire affair.

Mrs. Winnifred Edous, general chairman, has announced that among the many beautiful gifts being given by Dixon breakfasts is a dainty wishing ring an orchid for the eldest guest several corsages, a dozen roses for the winner of the gown neighbor contest, a gift to the writer of the letter chosen, a beauty kit, two birthday cakes, a gift for the person with the most children, the most grandchildren and many more.

There are still tickets available for the breakfast and they can be secured from Mrs. Bern Turnbull or Mrs. Winnifred Edous. No tickets will be sold at the door.

Phidian Musical

The Phidian Art club musical will be held on Tuesday afternoon April 19, at 2:30 at the Loveland Community House.

The music committee, composed of Mrs. R. A. Joslyn, Mrs. Henry Lovett and Mrs. Dwight Chapman will present Joel Rice of Sterling, pianist, assisted by Miss Doris Beckham, soprano. Miss Beckham will be accompanied by Miss Doris Brown.

At the close of the program tea will be served by Mrs. Curtis Taylor, Mrs. Gauder Torstenson and Mrs. Robert Hofmann. This will be a guest day.

RETURNS FROM COMPTON
Mrs. Helen Pool has returned home after spending several days visiting friends in Compton. On Monday evening she was a guest of the Compton Woman's club where Mrs. Vera Mae Pool Thompson of Elgin, formerly of Dixon, was a guest speaker. Mrs. Thompson talked on her previous work as child psychologist at the St. Charles School for Boys. Mr. Thompson will be remembered as the superintendent of the Elgin schools.

PALMYRA AID SOCIETY
The Palmyra Aid Society will meet on Wednesday, April 20th at the home of Mrs. Fred Lawton. A scramble dinner will be served at 12:30.

The work committee will have quilt blocks to sew at this meeting.

Ladies of G. A. R.
Hollywood Breakfast
Wednesday, April 20
Elks Club—11:00 a. m.

Cherubim Choir To Sing in Amboy



Those attending services at the Amboy Methodist church this Easter Sunday morning will hear the sweet voices of the Cherubim Choir. Little tots who will be singing tomorrow morning will be in the back row from left to right: Robert Stanley, Roger Weigle, Sylvia Joyce, Spencer, Ann Sheenaker, Richard Kuchler and Kathy Sheenaker. In the front row, from left to right: Marda Good, Leslie Ruth Spencer, Harold Masters, Clatie Hutt and Nancy Demorest. Mrs. Frank Sheenaker will direct the choir which is making its second appearance and Mrs. Mary Ed Eckburg will accompany at the organ as will Shirley Miller at the piano. Lee and Barbara Smith, Terry Mauzy and Lilian Dyer are members of the choir but were absent when the above picture was taken.

Mavis Beach Is Honored

A miscellaneous snower was given last week for Miss Mavis Beach, bride-elect, by Mrs. Leo Miller and Miss Jacqueline Beach at the home of the latter.

Bunco was played during the evening with prizes going to Mrs. M. E. Workman, Bernice Winnebrenner and Mrs. M. Schryver. The honoree was presented with many beautiful gifts.

Refreshments were served from a candle-light table with a miniature bride and groom as the centerpiece. Guests were present from Dixon and Sterling.

West Branch, Ia., was the birthplace of President Hoover.

Social Calendar

Monday

OES Parlor Club at the Loveland Community House 1:30 p. m.
Monday Nighters with Mrs. Mary Sheevey, 7:30 p. m.

Chapter AC of the PEO Sisterhood at the home of the Misses Dorothy and Clara Armstrong, 2:30 p. m.

Dixon Circle No. 73 Ladies of the GAR in their hall, 2:30 p. m.

DIXON TRAVEL CLUB

The Dixon Travel Club will meet Tuesday evening at 7:30 at the Loveland Community House. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Youngmark will show their kodachrome slides of a trip to Denmark.

Polo Chorus To Present Easter Cantata Sunday

(Telegraph Special Service)

Polo — The Polo Community Chorus, composed of 60 voices, will present "The Seven Last Words of Christ" at the Polo Methodist church Easter Sunday at 2 p. m. and again at 8 p. m.

This program is open to the public.

LADIES OF THE GAR

Dixon Circle No. 73, Ladies of the GAR will meet Monday afternoon at 2:30 in their hall.

Verse for Chimes

Oh! Lord our God
Be Thou our Guide
That by thy Hand
No foot may slide

Above is a verse that would accompany the Robert Sterling memorial chimes at St. Luke's church that are heard throughout the city every 15 minutes. This has been given to us by a friend.

At the first chime at quarter past the hour repeat: Oh Lord our God, when you hear the second chime repeat the first line and add Be Thou our Guide. On the third chime repeat the first and second and add, That by Thy Hand and on the fourth chime repeat the first second and third and add, No foot may slide.

AAUW BOARD MEMBERS

Board members of the American Association of University Women will meet at 7:30 Tuesday evening, April 19th, at the home of Miss Baby Nattress, 516 Crawford avenue.

BETA SIGMA PHI

A special meeting of Beta Sigma Phi sorority has been called for Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the Loveland Community House. Important business will be transacted.

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MARKETS

Chicago Grain Table

(By The Associated Press)

	Open	Close	Close
	Today	Thursday	Yesterday
WHEAT			
May	2.23 1/2	2.23	2.51
July	1.94 1/2	1.94 1/2	2.40 1/2
Sept	1.94 1/2	1.94	2.38 1/2
Dec	1.95 1/2	1.95 1/2	2.38 1/2
CORN			
May	1.33 1/2	1.33	2.27
July	1.32 1/2	1.32 1/2	2.16 1/2
Sept	1.32 1/2	1.32	1.99 1/2
Dec	1.15 1/2	1.15 1/2	1.94 1/2
OATS			
May	69 1/2	70 1/2	1.17 1/2
July	62 1/2	64	97 1/2
Sept	62 1/2	63 1/2	87 1/2
Dec	64	64 1/2	87 1/2
RYE			
May	1.27 1/2	1.27 1/2	
July	1.26 1/2	1.26 1/2	
SOYBEANS			
May	2.24 1/2	2.24 1/2	4.00
July	2.14	2.13 1/2	5.87
LARD			
May	11.27	11.22	24.29
July	11.40	11.32	24.47
Sept	11.42	11.40	
Oct		11.40	
Nov		11.53	

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Midds	3.40
Alfalfa Meal	3.50
Alfalfa Pellets	3.75
Polv. Oats	2.75

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Chicago Livestock

(By The Associated Press)

Saleable hogs 300 (estimated): total 2,300; compared week ago: most butcher hogs 50 lower; few weighing over 300 lbs and all sows 20 lower; few crossbred and medium weight butchers; closing top 19.50; bulk 160-240 lbs 19.25-19.75; 250-300 lbs 18.50-19.00; some 250 lbs at 19.25; 250-330 lbs 17.50-18.25; and 350-400 lbs 15.75-17.25.

Saleable cattle 200 (estimated): total not given; compared week ago: steers and yearlings 1100 lbs down steady to 50 higher; steers over 1100 lbs down; good steady to 25 higher; bulls 50 higher; steady to 25 higher; stockers and feeders 100 lower; stockers and feeders strong to 25 higher; load prime top 28.00; on choice steers, high choice 132 lb 27.25; bulk good and choice steers 24.00; 37.00; good 1730 lb beefs 24.00; choice 1483 lb weights light kinds 24.25; scattered loads common and medium 21.50-22.50; high choice 1330 lb feeders 27.00; bulk good to low choice heifers 24.00-25.75; good beef cows up to 21.00; common and medium cows 19.50-19.50; canners and cutters 14.00-16.75; light canners down to 13.00; medium and good sausage bulls late vealers 30.00; light culls down to 15.00; most medium and good stockers and light feeding steers 21.00-23.75; 100 head good to low choice 650 lb weights 21.50; low choice 650 lb feeders 24.00; 650 lb feeding beefs 24.00.

Saleable sheep 100 (estimated): total not given; compared week ago: slaughter lambs 1.50-2.00 lower, ewes 50 to 1.00 off; dressed lamb prices sharply lower locally; and in East; spring lambs in very small supply, reaching 35.00 early, dull at 32.00 down late, choice woolled lambs topped early, at 31.50; late top 29.25; No. 2 skin 28.50 late; 99 lb shearing lambs 29.50; shorn feeders 27.50; most fat lambs including clipper closers very dull at 27.00-29.25; choice light ewes sold up to 13.00; and above early but good woolled ewes closed at 14.00; with comparable shorn ewes at 12.00; shorn and woolled bucks 8.50-9.50.

Unofficial estimated livestock receipts for Monday: Hogs 11,000; cattle 12,000; sheep 2,000.

'Uncle' Comes First on Kramer's Assets

Edwardsville, Ill., April 16—(AP)—The federal government has stepped in with a prior claim on the assets of Arthur F. Kramer, used car dealer, and dealt a blow to the hopes of his creditors. The Bureau of Internal Revenue filed a claim here yesterday for unpaid income tax of \$262,886 for 1945. It was filed with Thomas Williamson, bankruptcy referee.

Kramer was the Jerseyville front man for Robert L. Kneizer and took deposits on cars on display in an alfalfa field.

Kramer's creditors, some 1,340 of them, have claims amounting to \$2,357,065 in deposits on cars they never received.

Records in Williamson's office show Kramer's apparent assets total about \$75,000.

Ambassador Douglas Leaves the Hospital

Southampton, England, April 16—(AP)—American Ambassador Lewis W. Douglas is leaving the hospital today with some hope that the sight of his injured left eye may be saved.

Specialists will continue treatment of the eye at his London residence.

Both of the diplomat's eyes had been bandaged since he was injured in a fishing accident 12 days ago, the right one to prevent strain. When he left the hospital, however, only his injured eye was bandaged. He wore dark glasses.

Cancer Bullets Are Developed

Detroit, April 16—(AP)—New steps toward forging chemical bullets to kill cancer were reported today to the American Association For Cancer research.

The new things are half a dozen chemicals that destroy parts of tumors and slow down cancer growths in mice and other animals. But they are also poisonous and dangerous. It is not yet known whether they will be of value for human use.

The fact that they work a little but against cancer is hopeful. Starting with them, man-made bullets may be fashioned which can be injected to seek out and kill cancers without seriously harming the human host.

The new chemicals were described in a series of reports by scientific teams at the National Cancer Institute Bethesda, Md.

The chemicals were turned up in a search which so far has tested 1,000 different chemicals against cancer. Out of each 100 tested, only four or five have shown any effect.

Three of the newer ones come from a plant, the May apple or Mandrake root. A crude extract, Podophyllum, from this plant has affected kinds of cancer transplanted into mice. The new trio are purified chemicals isolated from this crude stuff.

They are at least as effective against the mouse cancers, but are less toxic. Each shows slight differences.

So far these chemicals and the others are only clues. The job is to find out how and why they work. Then better ones can be made.

Endurance Fliers Still Going Strong

Fullerton, Calif., April 16—(AP)—The new endurance flying champions are confident today they can stay aloft at least 10 more days.

Dick Riedel and Bill Harris, of Fullerton, have passed the three-quarter mark of their goal of 1,000 hours. From now on it's up to the Sunlight Lady. The little plane carried the two fliers past the 10-year record of 725 hours set by Wes Carroll and Clyde Schlipper. That was at 4:44 p. m. (CST) Thursday.

Harris and Riedel say their plane's motor still sounds mighty sweet.

The plane is refueled at frequent intervals from a jeep racing along the ground.

Lila Leeds in Hands of the Police Again

Hollywood, April 16—(AP)—When actress Lila Leeds finished her 45-day jail term on a marijuana charge, she figured she was through with the police for awhile. But now the state highway patrol has a few questions to ask the shapely blonde.

Miss Leeds broke her wrist and damaged a new expensive car in an accident yesterday, then left the scene without making a report, patrol officer Jack Miller said.

The highway patrol will ask her why as soon as her condition permits. She is now in the hospital.

Caterpillar Horde Threatening Crops

Riverside, Calif., April 16—(AP)—Farmers in the desert area near Palm Springs have a two-week battle on their hands against a horde of caterpillars menacing their crops.

Agricultural commissioner W. H. Wright says that so far the damage has not been great.

The caterpillars are larvae of the sphinx moth, Wright says. They range from about 1 1/2 to 4 1/2 inches long and are threatening farm areas between Palm Springs and Indio, 10 miles south.

Obituaries

MRS. C. N. TIMMONS
Mrs. C. N. Timmons, 613 West 13th Street, Sterling, Ill., died yesterday. Funeral services will be held at Fourth St. Methodist church, Sterling, Monday at 10:30 a. m. Mrs. Timmons, who was National Vice President of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church and had been travelling a great deal in the past few years, speaking in the interest of the society. She has spoken several times in Dixon to the local church organization. Mrs. E. V. Mellott of 807 East Fellows street this city is a cousin of Mrs. Timmons.

MRS. HELEN K. KOEHLER
Sublette, April 16—Mrs. Helen K. Koehler, 51, passed away at her home here Friday morning after a long illness. She was the daughter of the late Austin and Clara Hicks and is survived by two sons and four daughters. Funeral services will be conducted from the Union church at Sublette Monday afternoon at 2:30 with burial in Our Lady of Perpetual Help cemetery. Arrangements were completed today at the Hicks funeral home at Franklin Grove.

Breaks Endurance Records



—NEA Telephoto
Captain West Carroll and Clyde Schlipper (left to right in jeep) holders of the world's air endurance record for the past ten years, reach up to shake hands with the new record holders, Dick Riedel and Bill Harris (at controls) at the airport in Santa Ana, California. The pair at this time had been in the air for 726 hours to tie the record and were still going strong.

Wallace Beery

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Beery, six-foot, one-inch tall and tipping the scales at 225 pounds, attributed his long popularity to his appeal to men and boys. The Motion Picture Herald placed him among the 10 top money-making stars from 1932 through 1935 and again in 1940.

He was married twice. His marriage to Gloria Swanson ended in divorce in 1915. His second wife was Rita Gilman, whom he divorced in 1930.

Recently the actor became involved in a paternity suit. Mrs. Gloria Schum, film bit player, filed suit, claiming he was the father of her 13-month-old son. She first agreed and then rejected a \$20,000 settlement offer and the case was to go on trial May 25.

In recent years Beery has limited himself to one or two pictures a year. He spent much time between his homes here and at nearby San Fernando and his hunting lodge at Brigham, Utah, and his ranch at Jackson Hole, Wyo.

Had Heart Strain

He suffered a heart strain at the Wyoming ranch six months ago and has been under treatment since. His doctors told him to slow down.

Beery estimated that in 20 years with Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, he made more than \$50,000,000 for the company, at the same time building up a sizeable fortune of his own.

The actor was an expert pilot and owned his own plane. He held a reserve commission as a lieutenant commander in the navy.

PERSONALS

M. E. Rice returned Thursday from Florida and Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley L. Swartz and Miss Carrie Belle Swartz spent Monday in Naperville, Ill., and Elkhart, Ind., and Tuesday in Benton Harbor, Mich., returning home Tuesday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. Z. W. Moss will leave Monday for Chattanooga and Knoxville, Tenn., for a visit with the Doctor's relatives.

Mrs. Robert Weaver who has been a guest at the Dr. Grover Moss home has returned to her home in Milwaukee, Wis.

Miss Louise Cannon who is a student at DePauw university at Greencastle, Ind., is home for the Easter holiday vacation.

Rock Slide

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feet away from the beach vicinity. The wave slammed back in a matter of seconds, Mrs. Bourgaize said.

Besides the damaged dock and boats, a number of water pipes along the dock area were torn out. There was no early estimate of damage to the homes, if any, although a row of cottages along the beach was hit by the wave.

The coast guard, alerted by the report of the wave, sent a cutter to stand by in case of emergency.

The influence of the Gulf Stream can be felt as far north as Cape Cod, Mass.

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Bomber Sets Load Record

Fort Worth, Tex., April 16—(AP)—A twin of the famed B-36 bomber took off, flew three months and landed with a 100,000 pound load last night.

It was the greatest weight ever taken aloft.

And the plane, the NC-99, was still relatively light. Ray O. Ryan, Convair division manager, said. Convair made the craft Gross weight was 227,000 pounds, including the test load. Ryan called the flight "highly successful."

The weight was comparable to 400 men with combat equipment, which it was designed to carry. It also will be able to fly 300 litter cases with their attendants.

Company officials stressed that the flight was no "stunt" but a part of the regular testing program required by the air force before it accepts the huge craft. Today's flight was the ship's tenth.

It took off at 4:20 p. m. and landed at 7:10 p. m. B. A. Erickson, Convair's chief test pilot, was at the controls. F. Keen was co-pilot.

The previous load lifting record was believed established here Jan. 29 when a B-36 took off with 84,000 pounds of dummy bombs.

Mrs. Ybarbo Enroute Home from Germany

Frankfurt, Germany, April 16—(AP)—Mrs. Wilma Ybarbo, freed husband slayer, took off in an American army passenger plane today for the United States.

She is scheduled to reach Westover Field, Mass., tomorrow. The 23-year-old Malden, Mass., mother had been sentenced to five years imprisonment for killing her husband. The sentence was vacated last night by Gen. Lucius D. Clay, U. S. Military Governor in Germany.

Earlier today Mrs. Ybarbo left Bad Wildungen on the first stage of her journey.

Army officials in Frankfurt were close-mouthed regarding her whereabouts until she was ready to depart. She hurried from an airport office of the military air transport service to the plane without making any comment to newsmen.

Andrews' Trial Is Scheduled Tuesday

Maynard Andrews, 37, Rt. 3, Amboy, who was released under \$500 bond last Thursday, on a charge of "drunken driving," is scheduled to appear in county court Tuesday, April 19, for further action on the case.

Andrews was arrested by the police at 303 First St., after his car struck two parked cars.

Robbers Lock Four Janitors in Lockers

Chicago, April 16—(AP)—Four janitors were locked in their own lockers at Penger high school early today by burglars.

One of the janitors, John Wilson, a Negro, tried his way out of his cramped coop, climbed out a basement window and called police. But the two burglars escaped.

Wilson said the cracksmen, one armed with a carbine, tried unsuccessfully to cut open an empty safe with an acetylene torch.

Firemen Called When Towel Catches Fire

A gas plate that set fire to a towel about 3:00 p. m. yesterday at the home of Homer Collins, 822 Jay Dee Ave., brought the Dixon fire department. Chief Jake Johnson reports very little damage.

Cemetery Group Will Meet in Grand Detour

Members of the Grand Detour Cemetery association are scheduled to meet at 7 p. m. Tuesday in the Town hall.

The meeting was postponed from last Thursday.

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Holds Statue That 'Cried'



—NEA Telephoto
Standing on the porch of her home in Syracuse, N. Y., Shirley Anne Martin, 11, holds out the head of the statue of St. Ann as devout Catholics recite the Rosary. Many witnesses testified that tears appeared in the eyes of the statue when Shirley kissed it, but later the phenomenon came to an end.

Hal Hears from a Boss Who Would Butter Up Hired Help

By HAL BOYLE

New York—(AP)—How can a boss butter up the hired hands? This is one problem that never occurred to my simple barefoot mind.

But the other day I let go with a powerful piece about how the ordinary man, given a lifetime or two, could successfully butter up his boss and get a raise. Any boss.

And a fellow came right back at me—one of those strange people who hire other people for a living. "Listen, Boyle," he said, "You're living in a dead age. The problem in the industrial world today isn't how to butter up the boss to get ahead. What the boss has to worry about is how he can get ahead by buttering up his employees."

Wants Warm Approval

And this odd gentleman suggested that if I were an honest reporter I would immediately investigate. He said I should advise the bosses what they could do to win the warm approval of the men under them who make them look good to the men over them.

Well, for me this was a brand new idea. As a lifelong employee, determined to remain one, I had never thought of a boss as a person interested in pleasing me.

I first went to work at a time when people stood in lines for jobs. And I guess that ever since then I have thought of a boss only as something you tried in a vague way to placate... by an effort here... a performance there... as you would a cross child. You know—anything to keep him from being loud.

But some employees aren't the kind of workaday snob I am. I asked a few what they thought a boss could do to butter them up. And here are some of their answers:

Borrow Cigaretts

"Borrow cigarettes from them once in a while, so as to make them wonder whether he can afford them a raise."

"When the employees greet him, 'hiya, big boy,' the boss should come back with a heavily emphasized 'okay, chum.' This will leave them wondering whether he said, 'chum or chump.'"

Ireland To Be Republic Next Monday

Dublin, April 16—(AP)—Eire becomes the Free Republic of Ireland Easter Monday, the last step in its 780-year struggle against rule by the British crown.

The Republic will be proclaimed before the general post office in O'Connell St., where 33 years ago the bloody "Easter rebellion" flared.

The slim constitutional tie with Britain was cut last Dec. 21 when President Sean T. O'Kelly approved repeal of the external relations act. This had empowered the King of England to accredit Irish diplomats abroad.

Prime Minister John A. Costello chose the anniversary of the Easter rebellion as Independence Day, when the freedom proclamation will be read. The choice was in tribute to the Irishmen who died in the struggle to wrest self-government from the British.

The tattered tricolor of green, gold and white which the rebels raised on that tragic Easter Monday morning in 1916 will be flown again at the ceremonies, and receive the salute of troops during allegiance only to their own Ireland. Many of the rebels who fought that day will be in the cheering crowd.

Contribute \$18,000 to Kathy's Rescuers

San Marino, Calif., April 16—(AP)—Heroism is paying off for the men who risked their lives to bring little Kathy Fiscus from the depths of an abandoned well.

More than 4200 letters have been received and nearly \$18,000 has been contributed, rescue fund Chairman Clark Bell estimated.

In addition, many jobs have been offered to those rescue workers who were unemployed. Sympathetic persons even found a house for one man about to be evicted.



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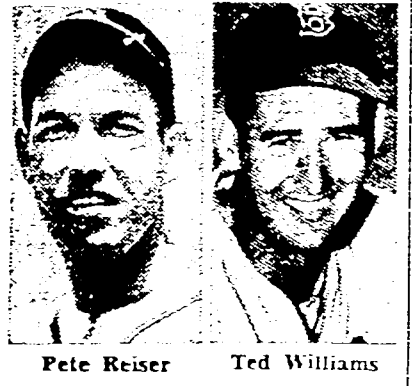
By HARRY GRAYSON
NEA Sports Editor

New York — (NEA) — Now is the time for all good baseball writers to stick out their necks, so this is the way we see the major league pennant races of 1949:

AMERICAN	NATIONAL
Boston	Brooklyn
Cleveland	Boston
New York	St. Louis
Philadelphia	Pittsburgh
Detroit	New York
St. Louis	Philadelphia
Chicago	Chicago
Washington	Cincinnati

The Braves braced by a sound Pete Reiser in center field, easily could make the handicapper full of beans by making it an all-Boston World Series.

The Indians' veterans again could throw big years. The Tribe



Pete Reiser Ted Williams

once more could complete its schedule without one serious mishap, and repeat.

But our first guess has to be the Dodgers and the Red Sox.

Brooklyn is picked on resourcefulness and sheer force of numbers.

Taking it for granted, of course, that Pee Wee Reese's pain is nothing more than an abdominal muscle strain.

Among many other things, the Superbas were the National League's Bosox of 1948, coming from last place, where they hit rock bottom, July 1, to overtake the Braves, only to fall apart in September. And Leo Durocher is getting on the Giants' nerves this season.

Likes Red Sox

I like the Red Sox largely because their right-hand hitters shoot at Fenway's Park's friendly left field screen for 77 games.

The Back Bay Millionaires aren't likely to spot the Indians another lead of 10 or more games, which is the distance they were off the pace in late June.

With all that, and Joe McCarthy in strange surroundings and not knowing in which direction to turn for a pitcher a good share of the time, Ted Williams and Company pressed the Tribe to the American League's first play-off. The Red Sox figure to have more and better pitching. They are going to be hard to head off, especially if huge Walter Oropo further packs the right-hand power.

A Joe DiMaggio on two good heels for the Yankees might make a different, but practically everybody visions a two-club race in the junior wheel.

The Athletics have pitching, and will stir up trouble as long as Eddie Joost holds up. The Tigers also have pitching, but no right side of the infield. The Browns aren't as bad as they sound, but are still the circuits poor relations. The White Sox get an E or effort. The only thing that isn't deteriorated in Washington is Old Fox Griffith's bankroll.

N. L. Balanced

The National League is so even-balanced that, as Eddie Dyer points out, the Cardinals easily could finish seventh. All the Red birds have left are the old pros. The Pirates have Ralph Kiner and improved pitching, but the second basing combine of Stan Jolek and Danny Murtaugh must and up, and there are problems at first and third. With the Giants it's good hit, not pitch, and cadaches at second base and behind the bat. The Phillies' pitchers either have too little experience or too much.

Shortstop Roy Smalley has come on to help the Cubs. Andy Arko is back in center field, and Garin Gusline gives the Wrigleys third baseman who will hit like a zebra for the first half, but the ruins are on the short side in pitching and pack no punch. The Reds have little more than Eveli Jackwell, and the long fellow n't pitch.

But, as they say at the track, the horses have to run around here.

EXHIBITION BASEBALL

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Cleveland (A) 16, New York (N) 11.

Brooklyn (N) 6, New York (A) 1.

Philadelphia (A) 4, Philadelphia (N) 8.

DiMaggio Out of Opening Lineup, But Is 'Optimistic' To Miss Opener

Baltimore, April 16—(AP)—The listing "J. DiMaggio, CF," will be missing again from the opening day lineup Tuesday when the New York Yankees start the American league baseball season.

Joltin' Joe will be in Baltimore getting x-ray treatment for a troublesome pain in his right heel. The treatments which last about a minute and a quarter daily are to continue at Johns Hopkins hospital until Tuesday and DiMaggio indicated that his physicians prescribe different treatment after then.

Tuesday will mark the seventh opening day game in 11 years that DiMaggio will have missed.

In a news conference yesterday, the star centerfielder said he didn't know when he might be able to get back into uniform but he added, "I'm very optimistic."

He declared that he "never gave a thought" to retiring.

DiMaggio's heel was operated on for removal of a bone spur last November and he complained of it paining him through this year's spring practice. He left the Yankee team Tuesday at Fort Worth, Tex., to fly here for consultation with his physician, Dr. George Bennett.

DiMaggio said no further operations on the heel are planned.

"I'm very optimistic or else I wouldn't be going through the treatments," the 34-year-old ball-player declared. "I definitely hope I will be back in the lineup if the heel responds to treatment."

Intra-City Clashes Mark End of Spring Training

Brooklyn, April 16—(AP)—Yogi Berra is improving. The New York Yankee catcher, who has had a hard time nipping base-stealers, caught two larceny-minded Brooklyn Dodgers yesterday.

Berra nailed Gil Hodges and Duke Snider but Cal Abrams and Carl Furillo came up with clean steals to give the Yogi a 500 rating. The Dodgers beat the Yanks, 6-1, before 27,731 fans at the Stadium with Abrams leading the way with a two-run double and single.

ROOKIES INJURED

New York, April 16—(AP)—Bobby Hoffman, rookie second baseman, and outfielder Don Mueller are on the New York Giant injured list. Hoffman, slated to open the season at second, injured the middle finger of his throwing hand and Mueller hurt his shoulder yesterday against the Cleveland Indians at Richmond, Va. The Indians won 16-11.

HODGES TO FIRST

Brooklyn, April 16—(AP)—Gil Hodges, a converted catcher, will be the Brooklyn Dodger first baseman again this season. Chuck Connors who had a three-game whirl at the station, probably will be kept for awhile as protection. Hodges came up with one hit and handled nine chances without an error in the Dodgers' 6-1 conquest of the New York Yankees yesterday.

IN BID FOR OPENER

Indianapolis, April 16—(AP)—Cold weather today again threatened to halt the series between the Cincinnati Reds and Indianapolis of the American Association.

Johnny Vander Meer, moving off the injured list after a week of idleness, is slated for duty if the game can be played. The contest may determine whether Vandy will be able to hurl Tuesday's opener against the St. Louis Cardinals. If Vander Meer can't go, the starter is expected to be Ken Raffensberger.

A'S BEAT PHILLIES

Philadelphia, April 16—(AP)—The Philadelphia Athletics are one-up today on their hometown National league rivals with still two games to play in the city series.

The A's combined three successive hits in a dramatic ninth inning rally to win the opener yesterday 4-3.

ATTENDANCE MARK NEAR

New York, April 16—(AP)—An attendance of 20,000 is expected for the opening game of a week-end series between the New York Giants and

Sox and Cubs Set for First Home Duel

Chicago, April 16—(AP)—The Cubs-White Sox annual spring series was slated for Comiskey park today after the opener of the three-game affair, set for Wrigley field yesterday, was cancelled by rain and snow.

Both managers, Charlie Grimm of the Cubs and Jack Onslow of the Sox, changed pitching plans. Doyle Lade was selected by Grimm for today's tussle instead of Dutch Leonard who apparently is being saved for Tuesday's league opener against the Pirates in Wrigley field.

Onslow said Al Gettel will relieve Howard Judson at the end of five or six innings for the Sox. Originally he planned to try Judson for the route.

If weather interferes today, the last game will be attempted Sunday in Wrigley field. The Cubs took two of three games from the Sox earlier in California.

The White Sox yesterday announced the sale of 28-year-old Ralph Weigel to the Washington Senators. Washington in turn released Veteran Catcher Jake Early.

Fullerton Has Couple of Hot Tips

By HUGH FULLERTON

New York—The slowdown on a couple of sports situations, as reported to this department by usually reliable informants: "That American league loan to the Browns was \$300,000 at two per cent interest. The league has a first mortgage on the Browns' franchise and San Antonio property." . . . "Charlie McGilone stepped down as basketball coach at LaSalle because the authorities want somebody who can whip a zone defense. McGilone's attack fizzled every time the Explorers hit a zone this year."

Dave Grube, sports writer for the Canton, Ohio, Repository, has entered the Boston Marathon next Tuesday. Sounds like the perfect assignment for a good leg man. . . . Al Weill has a young heavyweight whom he considers a fine prospect but Al insists he doesn't want anything written about the kid this early in his career. . . . On the other hand Jersey Jones is actively plugging his "Delaware Dynamiter." Maynard Jones since Maynard's good showing against Joe Baksi recently. "Taking Baksi may have seemed like rushing the kid," Jersey explains. "But we were practically forced into the match by the refusal of the lesser heavies to meet the Dynamiter." The Canadian Amateur Hockey association will hold a joint convention with the Amateur Hockey Association of the United States in New York June 2-6. It will be the first time in 38 years the C.A.H.A. has left Canada for a meeting.

had entered two others previously, and one each by Ralph Miller of Dayton, Ohio, and Joe Lencki of Chicago.

Golfs' Big Timers Get Link Lesson from Stranahan

Virginia Beach, Va., April 16—(AP)—Amateur Frank Stranahan taught 19 of golf's big-time players another lesson on the links yesterday.

The wealthy Toledo, Ohio, strong man paid little or no attention to a strong wind and toured the par 69, 6,065-yard Cavalier Yacht and Country club layout in five-under-par 64 to take the lead at the end of 18 holes in the 34-hole medal play competition of the \$10,000 Cavalier Specialists tournament.

Deadlocked for second place and three strokes behind Mr. Muscles were Bobby Locke, the Johannesburg, South Africa, ace, whose putter was behaving more effectively today, and Cary Middlecoff, the Memphis, Tenn., dentist. Each carded a two-below-par 67.

36 SPEEDWAY ENTRIES

Indianapolis, April 16—(AP)—Fifty-six entries were listed today for the 33rd annual 500-mile race May 30 at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway.

All entries postmarked before last midnight will be accepted. Speedway officials said eight or ten more were expected. Entries announced today were two by Anthony Granatelli, of Chicago, who

The Man, the Grip and the Stance



With this grip, stance and follow through, Sid Gordon manufactured extra base hits batting close to 500 in exhibition games. The Giants' third baseman opened his stance a bit to lessen the danger of hitting into double plays. He is no speed merchant, but hit 30 home runs last season to be fourth in the balling for the National League's most valuable player.

COUGHLIN'S CORNER

By CLIFF

"IF HIGH SCHOOL athletic directors are interested in saving track as a generally accepted sport, they might give some thought to a summer baseball program and a spring track schedule," comments T. O. White in the Champaign News-Gazette.

"EACH YEAR MORE and more high schools are adopting baseball and as they do, track suffers. Track lacks the appeal of baseball and there are innumerable instances where a fine track athlete foregoes the cinders for the diamond.

"SUMMER HIGH school baseball makes sense in more ways than one. It offers splendid recreation, spectator entertainment and provides good weather. The typical high school baseball schedule, in April and May, consists of a number of games played when it is much too cold, a lot of games rained out, and finally a desperate effort to finish the schedule by playing every nice day during the last two weeks of the season.

"HARRY GAINES had an interesting experience at Matteson recently. He asked the boys out for spring sports, to separate into groups wanting to play baseball and compete in track. Nine of 10 boys joined the baseball contingent. Likely there was some good track material in the baseball group, boys who would have been glad to perform on the cinders until school was out and then play their baseball during the summer."

A NOTE FROM Coach Max Patrick, Franklin Grove, ends with this bit of good news for Franklin Grove fans: "It seems fashionable for coaches to be resigning this year. It isn't happening here. I'm staying."

Toronto Three Up on Wings, But Casts an Eye on History

COMPARED

Saturn's volume is about 750 times that of the earth. It exceeds the earth in mass only about 95 times, however, since its density is much less than that of our planet.

As the two teams prepared for the fourth game tonight in their best-of-seven final series for the trophy even the enthusiasm of Toronto fans over the Leafs' three consecutive victories was tempered by the recollection of what happened in the 1942 series between the same clubs.

That was the year the Red Wings swept the first three games handily. Then the Leafs juggled their lineup to drop veterans like Bucko McDonald and Gordie Drillon and went on to win four in a row and take the series.

The Red Wings came close to duplicating that feat in 1945. They lost the first three games to Toronto and then came back to take three and tie up. But the Leafs recovered to cop the seventh and the trophy.

Coach Timmy Ivan of the Wings said Recruits Neils Podolsky and Gerald Reid from the Indianapolis team of the American Hockey league will go back into his lineup tonight.

WINE TEMPERATURES

According to connoisseurs, the rule for serving red and white wines at banquets is the red wines always should be served at room temperature while white wines, especially champagnes, should be chilled.

COLLEGE BASEBALL

Indiana 11, Evansville 0. Bradley 10, Baylor 13.

If You Don't Like Hot Dogs Try the Video

New York, April 16—(AP)—The stay-at-home fan who prefers baseball in his living room to hot dogs at the ball park will get a better break than ever before in major league cities this summer.

Home games of each of the 16 teams will be broadcast, many of them on regional networks covering several states. Broadcasts of games away from home will be carried on eight teams. And some or all of the home games of 13 teams will be televised.

Radio coverage will be about the same as last year, but television has made big strides. Only the Pittsburgh Pirates have said "definitely no" to television. The Cleveland Indians are agreeable to the idea but haven't found a sponsor who's agreeable to the cost.

Then there's the case of the St. Louis Browns. They're all in favor of being a "Time Video stars, but, says President Bill DeWitt, the only available St. Louis station isn't interested in carrying all of the games. The situation is still under discussion.

The same St. Louis station plans to televise 30 home games of the St. Louis Cardinals.

Cleveland fans will get full radio coverage of the Indians' games at home and away for the first time in years.

The St. Louis Cardinals, Chicago Cubs and White Sox are among those who will radio and televise all home games.

Geneseo Meet Is Postponed; Dukes Are Out

The annual Geneseo Relays, scheduled for 1 p. m. today has been postponed until Monday afternoon because of the cold weather.

Announcement of the postponement was made late yesterday when the unseasonable blizzard conditions were at their worst.

Dixon High will withdraw from the meet, Athletic Director A. C. Dowers said this morning, because of the fact that the Dukes have two meets scheduled for next week, the inter-class meet Monday and Tuesday and a dual meet with Princeton at Princeton Wednesday.

MAJOR LEAGUE

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Lavelli, Yale Star, Turns to Be-Bop, Ballads

New Haven, Conn., April 16—(AP)—Professional basketball lost one of its greatest potential attractions last night when Tony Lavelli decided to concentrate on music.

Yale's All-America cage game ace turned down numerous pro offers, including one for \$11,000 from Syracuse. He was also the target of Boston of the Basketball Association of America, which had that loop's rights to dicker with him.

"It was the toughest decision I've ever had to make," said Lavelli, the nation's major college individual scorer last season. He registered 1964 points in 97 games with Yale—a record, and concluded his collegiate career as a member of the East team against the West's aces early this month in New York City.

Tony's mind was made up shortly after he sold three of his compositions, "Cocktail Time at Dusk," and "Scottish Lad and His Lassie," ballads, and "You're the Boppest Be-Bop," a novelty tune.

Up until then, "It was a toss-up between getting paid for playing the best game in the world, or concentrating on music."

Tony is an accomplished musician, playing equally well on a piano or accordion.

"Selling those songs did it," exclaimed Tony. "Music it will be. I decided. And I immediately felt good. It was like turning on a light. Suddenly I could clearly see what I wanted to do most. I felt right about it."

SET TWO RECORDS

Hurst, Ill., April 16—(AP)—Centralia high school's team won the annual Mineral Area track and field meet for the second straight year yesterday. Belleville was runner-up.

Two meet records were broken as athletes from 25 schools competed in near freezing temperatures.

John Bauer, Benton, threw the discus 149.6 feet, compared with the previous record of 140.10 set last year by Dick Rutherford, Belleville. Wayne Nast, Belleville, set a new 100 yard mark in 10 minutes and two seconds. Les Pinkham, West Frankfort, and Robinson, Cairo, jointly held the old mark of 10.3.



Mort Cooper proudly exhibits a nice string of bass, taken from Lake Hamilton, hard by Hot Springs, Ark., where the big right-hand pitcher is taking the baths. The former St. Louis Cardinal ace will attempt a comeback this spring with the Chicago Cubs.

Bowling Bits

By "FRIDAY"

In the Major League last night, Kaiser-Frazer took two games from the leaders with a 1-2 hammer the better to 56-31, with Belter Loafers winning two to draw up to within six games of the leaders with 20-12. The Belter still having a mathematical chance at the top spot, with nine more games to go. Belter still hold third with 12-10.

John Smith had the high series of the night with 442, other high totals being Ned Sack 314 and Edson Myers 302. High games were Don Hane 220, Edson Myers 204-22, Edson Myers 212, Abe Osborn 202, Harry Cook 233, John Smith 216 235, Ken Belter 204, Ned Sack 211-215.

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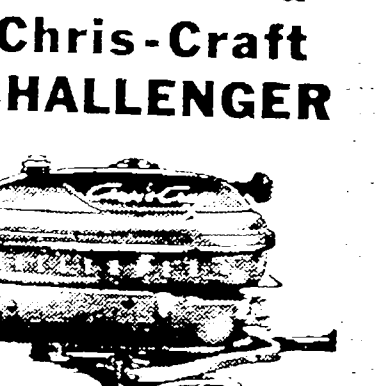
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NAMED FOR HER

Big Bertha, the German gun used to shell Paris during World War I, was nicknamed for Frau Bertha von Bohlen, head of the Krupp family, according to the Encyclopedia Britannica.

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State of Illinois) ss
County of Lee) ss

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF SAID COUNTY
April Term, A. D. 1949
No. 19 63

PETITION FOR CONDEMNATION
The County of Lee, Petitioner

vs.
Gilbert F. Bellows, et al., Defendants

Affidavit of non-residence of "Unknown Heirs at Law and Deceases of Henry E. Miller, deceased" impeached with the above defendants Gilbert F. Bellows et al., having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said County, notice is hereby given to the said non-resident defendants that the petitioner filed its complaint in said Court on the twelfth day of April A. D. 1949, and that thereupon a Summons issued out of said Court, wherein said suit is now pending returnable on the first and third Mondays in the month of May, A. D. 1949, as is or law required. Now, unless you, the said non-resident defendants above named, "Unknown Heirs at Law and Deceases of Henry E. Miller, deceased" make your appearance in said cause in said Court, held in the Court House in the City of Dixon, Illinois, on or before the third Monday in the month of May, A. D. 1949, the said petitioner may take judgment against you by default.

JOHN O. SHAULIS, JR.,
Clerk

Dixon, Illinois, April 16, A. D. 1949
More C. Pires, States Attorney, Complainant's Solicitor.
April 16, 23, 30, 1949

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FILING FINAL SETTLEMENT
State of Illinois) ss
County of Lee) ss

Estate of Sarah Jane Atkinson, Deceased

Public notice is hereby given that the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Sarah Jane Atkinson deceased, will attend before the County Court of Lee County, at the court court in Dixon, on the 2nd day of May, 1949, next, at ten o'clock a. m. for the purpose of making a final settlement of said estate, at which time and place I will ask for an order of distribution, and will also ask to be discharged. All persons are notified to attend. Dated at Dixon, Illinois, April 15, A. D. 1949.

NINA M. STABLER,
Administrator
Albert H. Hanneken, Attorney
April 16, 23, 1949

NOTICE OF CLAIM DAY
An inventory having been filed, notice is hereby given to all persons that Monday, June 6th, 1949, is the claim date in the estate of George W. Mossholder, Deceased, pending in the County Court of Lee County, Illinois, and that claims may be filed against the said estate on or before said date without issuance of summons.

HAROLD RORER,
Administrator
Albert H. Hanneken, Attorney
April 16, 23, 30, 1949

LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals will be received in the office of the County Superintendent of Highways until 5:00 p. m., April 21, 1949 and at 10 a. m., April 22, 1949, publicly opened and read for the furnishing of 22,283 cubic yards of gravel or crushed stone surface course, Type B (Lower Course) and 7,701 cubic yards of gravel or crushed stone surface course, Type B (Top Course) required in the construction of Section 43 MFT, known as the road southwest of Franklin Grove.

Proposals shall be submitted on forms furnished by the county which may be obtained at the office of the County Superintendent of Highways and shall be enclosed in an envelope endorsed "Material Proposal, Section 43 MFT".

By order of
The Road and Bridge Committee
of the
Lee County Board of Supervisors
FRED W. LEAKE,
County Supt. of Highways
April 14, 16, 19, 1949

NOTICE OF CLAIM DAY
Notice is hereby given to all persons that Monday, May 2, 1949, is the claim date in the estate of Amos H. Bosworth, deceased, pending in the County Court of Lee County, Illinois, and that claims may be filed against the said estate on or before said date without issuance of summons.

Laura E. Rogers,
Gracia A. Rogers,
Executrices
Warner & Warner, Attorneys
April 2, 9, 16, 1949

New reflective sheeting for automobiles permits the snake and color of the vehicle to be plainly visible at night under the headlights of approaching cars.

BELLS SCARED SPIRITS
Bells formerly were rung at funerals in order to frighten evil spirits away from the soul of the deceased according to the Encyclopedia Britannica.

NEW REFLECTIVE SHEETING FOR AUTOMOBILES PERMITS THE SNAKE AND COLOR OF THE VEHICLE TO BE PLAINLY VISIBLE AT NIGHT UNDER THE HEADLIGHTS OF APPROACHING CARS.

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Shakedown!



Freda Stevenson, of Montreal, Canada, tries out a new body reducing chair at New York's International Beauty Show. A vibrating mechanism built into the chair, is controllable by arm-rest dials and gives the same effect as a hand massage.

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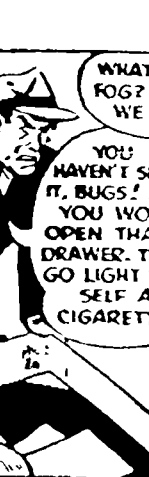
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